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December 29, 1993

Mr. William Howell
Southeastern Utah Association
of Local Governments
P. O. Drawer 1106
Price, Utah 84501

Re:

San Rafael Gypsum Project, Dust Control, Georgia Pacific Corporation,

M/015/050, Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Howell:

Please find enclosed a copy of a letter addressing the question of dust control, associated with Georgia Pacific's San Rafael Gypsum Project. After receiving correspondence from the Southeastern Association of Local Governments, concerning the dust question, we contacted the operator. We asked the operator to address your question concerning appropriate mitigation measures to be employed to reduce the generation of dust from the mining operation.

Please advise us as to whether or not these commitments from the operator will be sufficient.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Holland Shepherd

Senior Reclamation Specialist

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Georgia-Pacific Corporation P. O. Box 80

Sigurd, Utah 84657 Telephone (801) 896-5406

December 16, 1993

Mr. Holland Shepherd Department of Natural Resources Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 355 West North Temple 3 Triad Center, Suite 350 Salt Lake City, UT 84180-1203

RE: Your letter dated December 6, 1993 (M/015/050 Emery County, UT.)

Dear Mr. Shepherd:

As we discussed on the phone the first part of this week, Georgia-Pacific applied Lignosite Solution as a means of dust control during the spring of 1992 on the county road between our quarry and I-70.

Due to limited quarry operation during 1993 we didn't treat the county road. Our average haulage was 1.5 trucks per working day. At present we have asked our contractor to reduce his truck's speed to limit the amount of dust and we have plans to treat our portion of the road by applying Magnesium Chloride during the spring of 1994.

Please advise if you have any questions.

Sincerely

GEORGIA-PACIFIC CORP.

Bob Shajary

PLANT MANAGER

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